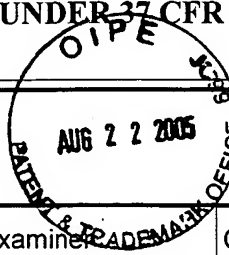


PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Large Entity)

Docket No.
7265

In Re Application Of:

Thomas J. Skierski, et al.



Application No.
10/811,094

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Layla G. Lauchman

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Invention:

**METHOD OF VERIFYING COLOR AND STRENGTH PROPERTIES
OF BATCHES OF WOOD STAINS**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of February 22, 2005 above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month ☐ Two months ☒ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months

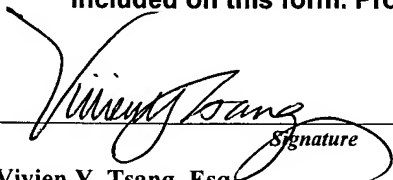
from: May 22, 2005
Date

until: August 22, 2005
Date

The fee for the extension of time is **\$1,020** and is to be paid as follows:

- ☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **19-2025**
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **19-2025**
- ☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

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